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In general	Street furniture Benches, lanterns, utility poles, telephone booths, waste receptacle, meters, tree supports, tree grates, fence/barricades, hanging flower baskets and/or planters Surface treatment on sidewalks and crosswalks Historical and cultural markers Can relate to the several ethnic groups that have settled here, its musical history and other related community topics Enhance existing public art  Utility poles with the dragons should be painted contrasting colors and/or lighted Painted poles on Jackson street should be lighted	<ul> <li>Neighborhood Street Fund, DON, façade improvement fund, and private funds; Should integrate language into the International Special Review District guidelines to assure compliance and consistent urban design within the neighborhood. Community Advisory Board should work with the ISRD to develop these guidelines.</li> <li>Examine the possibility of accessing sources from existing public art funds (1% or ½% coordinated by the government arts commissions) and/or developing a new fund to collect 1% of the private construction funds</li> </ul>	Start 2004-2015	* * *
I-5 Underpass	Lighting existing painted poles on Jackson Street	Same as above	Start 2004-2015	* * *
	Painting of ceiling of I-5 underpass			* * *
Little Saigon	<b>Little Saigon Corner -</b> focus on the NW corner of 12 <sup>th</sup> & Jackson with a small park, water feature such as a fountain with a ceramic vase theme and/or relevant artwork	Same as above	Start 2004-2015	* * *
Hing Hay Park	Hing Hay Park - should include more open space and a water feature	Same as above	Start 2004-2015	* *

Lighting	Recommendations	Group or resources available to implement recommendation	Timeline	Priority
In General	<ul> <li>New development must provide pedestrian lighting on the sidewalks</li> <li>Can use current pedestrian lights as a standard</li> <li>Preference: use recommended lighting sources from the NBBJ study</li> <li>Induction Fluorescent Lamps – light creates better visibility and less glare. In addition, last four times longer than sodium lamp.</li> <li>Height of the poles should be around 11' to 14' and be spaced 30' between each other.</li> <li>Use fixtures that distribute light to the ground more efficiently than current ones. However, the fixture's design should go through a community process. Fixtures can look different according to which neighborhood – Chinatown, Little Saigon, or Japantown – they are in.</li> <li>Also, encourage new developments to have outdoor lighting illuminating their buildings.</li> </ul>	Initiate discussions with the ISRD about this recommendation and integrate it into the guidelines. Work with the BIA on this project.	From 2004- 2005	**
<u>Trees</u>	Recommendations	Group or resources available to implement recommendation	Timeline	Priority
General	Plant trees that are appropriate for this climate, with a long leaf season, and that provide good shading. Larger trees (40'+) should be planted on major arterioles like Jackson. Street grates should also be installed.	Initiate discussions with the ISRD about this recommendation and integrate it into the guidelines.	From 2004- 2008	**
Japantown	Street trees recommended list from Japan or near by: Ivy Leaf Maple ( <i>Acer cissifolium</i> ); Miyabe Maple ( <i>Acer miyabel</i> ); Japanese Maple (Acer palmatum); Yew Podocarpus ( <i>Podocarpus macrophyllus</i> ); Sawtooth Oak ( <i>Quercus acutissima</i> ); *Japanese Pagoda Tree ( <i>Sophora japonica</i> Scholar Tree); *Japanese Zelkova ( <i>Zelkova serrata</i> )			
Chinatown	Street trees recommended list from China: Hardy Rubber Tree ( <i>Eucommia ulmoides</i> ); * Maidenhair ( <i>Gingko biloba</i> ); * Goldern Raintree (all three types of Koelreuteria); Chinese Pistache ( <i>Pistacia chinensis</i> ); Aristocrat, Bradford & Chanticleer Callery Pear ( <i>Pyrus calleryana</i> ) – high maintenance tree; * Chinese Elm (two types of <i>Ulmus parvifolia</i> ); * = recommended tree for the Northwest			
Little Saigon	Street trees recommended list (note: should cross-reference this list with an arborist considering the difference in climate – otherwise use above trees): Siamese Neem Tree ( <i>Azadirachta indica</i> ), Ceylon Ironwood ( <i>Mesua ferrea</i> )			

Zoning	Recommendations	Group or resources available to implement recommendation	Timeline	Priority
Little Saigon	Industrial and existing commercial areas Rezone to accommodate more housing, consequently changing the streetscape of the area which would integrate more street trees and lighting	Lobby Department of Neighborhoods and Legislature. Meet with community residents, property owners and businesses.	From 2003- 2005	* * * *
	Existing Commercial Area Allow for commercial activity to flow onto the sidewalk (however, develop standards to provide safe egress from the store and pedestrian flow)	Work with DPD and where applicable the ISRD on this issue	From 2003- 2005	
Japantown Between 4 <sup>th</sup> /6 <sup>th</sup> Avenues and Yesler /Jackson streets	Analyze the height, bulk and design criteria in this area and go through a community process to see if this needs to be changed.  Look at the possibility of integrating inclusionary zoning and/or tax incremental financing (in appendix) as tools to integrate more affordable housing and housing overall in the area, as well as a possible resources to fund some of our streetscape recommendations.	Work with the City, the Port, potential developers, current property owners, interested community members, and neighboring communities.	From 2003- 2006	* * * *
Programming	Recommendations	Group or resources available to implement recommendation	Timeline	Priority
Open Air market	Develop an open air market for the summer either at the I-5 parking lot, Bus Tunnel Lid, Hing Hay Park, Chong Wa playfield, or on a street.	The Chinatown-International District Business Improvement Area should take the lead	Start 2004 - 2006	* * * *
Wayfinding	Signage at key locations should direct people to open spaces within the Community; kiosks	Community should work with the City (City Design) like the downtown wayfinding committee and Transit agencies on this issue. The BIA should be involved.	2004 or 2005	* * *
Vacant Buildings	<ul> <li>Develop a committee to discuss the following avenues</li> <li>Incentive programs</li> <li>Low-interest loans from the city are available to rehabilitate buildings in the area.</li> <li>Community based non-profits can provide technical assistance.</li> <li>Discuss the various issues and options which include developing home ownership units with current property owners</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Office of Housing has this program in place.</li> <li>InterIm and the PDA can provide this assistance</li> </ul>	From 1997 and ongoing	* * * *
	Disincentive programming Assess fines to those buildings out of compliance to current safety, design review and other codes.	Department of Development and Planning and the International Special Review District to enforce compliance.		* * * *